

NORTHEAST SHELLFISH SANITATION ASSOCIATION

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Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries
Shellfish Purification Plant
84 82nd Street
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Dear NESSA Members and Participants:

The 2003 annual meeting of the Northeast Shellfish Sanitation Association (NESSA) is being hosted by the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries (*MarineFisheries*). This years meeting will be held on the Massachusetts North Shore, May 7 to 9. The conference will start at 1:00 P.M on Wednesday May 7 at the [Annisquam River Marine Fisheries Station](#) (ARMFS) in Gloucester. Thursday May 8, we will meet all day at the [Kings Grant Inn](#) in Danvers, lunch will be provided. On Friday, May 9, we will return to the ARMFS, ending by noon.

Hotel accommodations have been made at the King's Grant Inn, [Danvers](#). Kings Grant is [located](#) on Route 128, 15 minutes south of the ARMFS, Gloucester. Rates at the Kings Grant Inn have been set at \$89/night + tax. When making reservations (978-774-6800), be certain to mention you are attending NESSA. The hotel has guaranteed this rate only until April 23 and has reserved a limited number of rooms at this price.

The agenda is being finalized at this time but if you have topics to be discussed or speakers you would like to hear please let me know as soon as possible. The conference agenda and registration form will be sent in the next few weeks and posted on the *MarineFisheries* website.

I look forward to seeing you in May.

Sincerely,

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